

RMA Operations Committee Conference Call
October 28, 2008

On the Call: Todd Richardson (Vice Chair), Sherry Bauer, Dave Carter, Ken Kerr, Paul Summerfelt, Pete Bloem, Jim McMahon, Kyle Cowen for Kurt Kleiner, Mike Hostetler, Bill Ott, Bill Hahnenberg, Clair Brown (Chair), Debbie Bozarth, Jim Fletcher last 20 minutes

Dave Carter gave **highlights of the RMCG meeting** held in Sydney held last week. The **IC's were all approved** as given to them by the Operations Committee.

Spring Team Meeting will be held the first full week of April 09. They will be **asking a RMA team to plan** the meeting out. It worked well last year.

Type 2 Teams and Team Rotation: RMCG discussed in great length the SD Zone Team, which they have decided will still be called Team C.

All team applications will come in for ALL teams to the Operations Committee.

We will **wait for the RMCG minutes** to come out in order to see the proposals RMCG came up with for RMA Mob Guide language, as far as the Zone team and the RMA IMT rotation. **A new conference call will be scheduled** at that time to discuss, as well as the Ops Committee Charter & Guide.

RMA IMT Application discussion. Will have it finalized with the RMCG's Chair signature in the next few days, and **the whole package (Recruitment Letter, RMCG Vision Statement Letter, 2009 RMA IMT Application and the RMA IMT Position List)** will be sent out to all Operations Committee Members, for disbursement far and wide **by November 1st.**

Dave Carter received an application for a **new RMA Type 1** Crew from Daman Laurion of the Platte Canyon Fire Protection District. Brownie is the Agency Representative for this crew. The Ops Committee will need to review the Operations Guide section on New Type 1 Crews, as well as the National IHC Guide. Dave will send a copy of the application to Shawn, to have on hand at the Fall RMA IHC Meeting next week at Fort Collins. Daman asked for some time on their agenda, as well as the January Ops Committee agenda.